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SUBJ: FRONT ARTICLE MENTIONS USIS ACTIVITIES

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1. APRIL 6 FRONT CARRIES FOURTH INSTALLMENT OF CONTINUING SERIES ON " BOTH SIDES OF ENEMIES OF OUR COUNTRY." ARTICLE SAYS PREVIOUS INSTALLMENTS ON GUERILLA AND SPECIAL WARFARE AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA AND ON PLANS FOR GUERILLA ACTIVITIES AND INFILTRATION OF TERRORIST- SABOTAGE GROUPS SHOW " PLANNERS AND THOSE WHO CARRY OUT SUCH ACTIONS RECEIVED PRACTICAL TRAINING IN OTHER COUNTRIES." THEREFORE, FRONT CONTINUES, TO EFFECTIVELY OPPOSE SUCH ACTIONS, " IT IS USEFUL TO RECALL... FORMS OF SPECIAL WARFARE APPLIED IN VIETNAM."

2. IN COURSE OF LONG ARTICLE THERE ARE SOME BRIEF REFERENCES TO USIS ACTIVITIES. CITING " ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS FROM PENTAGON PAPERS, PUBLISHED BY NYTIMES," ARTICLE CLAIMS SPECIAL FORCES COOPERATED WITH USIS IN ORGANIZING AND LEADING PSYCHOLOGICAL/ PROPAGANDISTIC WARFARE BY PRINTING AND DISSEMINATING " PROVOCATIVE" MATERIAL AMONG VIETNAMESE, INCLUDING FALSE INFORMATION ATTRIBUTED TO HANOI LEADERSHIP, DESIGNED TO MISLEAD NORTH VIETNAMESE POPULATION RE MONETARY REFORM, CONFISCATION PRIVATE LAND, COLLECTIVIZATION, ETC. USIA AND CIA ALSO LINKED IN COOPERATIVE PROPAGANDA EFFORT TO

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